



Arizona Center for Minority Health

Collaborative Community Projects

The Center for Minority Health has approximately **\$9,000** for Collaborative Community Projects.

The CMH has established the following criteria for these funds:

1. Project with budget requests up to \$1,000
2. Projects must further the goals of reducing health disparities by targeting a major health disparity based on the CMH priority health disparity areas (see page 2), and/or; enhance access to care for vulnerable and minority populations, and/or; enhance cultural competency amongst healthcare providers.

To complete a funding request the following will be required:

A **scope of work** outlining the following:

- Describe how the project will meet the above criteria
- Describe the target population
- How many people are reached through project efforts?
- How the funds will be spent? (brief budget and budget narrative)
- The signature of an authorized party within your organization

Funding requests must be received by May 1, 2006.

Please send via fax or mail to:

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Below is a guide to key health disparities for minority populations within the state. If a project is to address a health disparity not on the list, the scope of work should demonstrate why this is a health priority for the community/communities targeted.

African Americans

Priority Health Disparities

- Cardiovascular diseases including stroke
- Diabetes
- Kidney disease
- Sexually transmitted diseases including HIV/AIDS
- Infant and child mortality
- Cancer and cancer mortality
- Alzheimer's disease

Native Americans

Priority Health Disparities

- Alcohol induced deaths
- Chronic liver disease
- Sexually transmitted diseases
- Teenage pregnancy
- Infant mortality
- Diabetes
- Kidney disease
- Cervical cancer

Hispanic/Latino Americans

Priority Health Disparities

- Diabetes
- Stroke
- Teenage pregnancy
- Kidney disease
- Chronic liver disease
- Colorectal Cancer

Asian Americans

Priority Health Disparities

Key Disparities

- Hepatitis b
- Cervical cancer
- Kidney disease
- Tobacco use